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In re the Application of

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Michael Cawthorne et al. Examiner: Eric S. Dejong

Application No. 09/980,422

Filed: June 25, 2002

For: Method of Screening for an

Agent for Treating Insulin-

Resistance Disorders

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Response to Restriction Requirement

The January 26, 2005 Official Action in the above-